Holmes Library News—November

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Halifax Reads! Oct. 3-Nov. 17

Halifax is reading Weekends with Daisy, the memoir by Mendon resident Sharron Kahn Luttrell about being a weekend puppy raiser for NEADS, a group that trains service dogs.

The author will visit the library on Saturday, Nov. 14, at 11 a.m. to talk about the book and answer questions. She plans to bring her new puppy-in-training, Samurai, with her, so don't miss this event!

Sharron spent a year sharing the training of Daisy, a golden Labrador retriever, with Keith, an inmate at a medium-security prison in Rhode Island. Through the process of training Daisy, Sharron learns a lot about herself.

Copies of Weekends



Halifax Reads events have included Storytime with Lily, Reading to Koda, and a visit from a NEADS staffer to explain the Prison Pup Partnership at MCI Plymouth.

with Daisy are still available to borrow with your join the Afternoon library card. It's a fast Readers on Tues, and enjoyable read, so pick up your copy today, if you haven't already!

If you missed the Evening Readers book discussion of Weekends

with Daisy, why not Nov. 17, at 1 p.m. to talk about the book?

These will be the final Halifax Reads Weekends with Daisy events!

News in Brief

- Genealogy Club, Nov. 4, 1 pm
- Mystery Book Club, Wed., Nov. 4, 2 pm
- Veterans' Day, Wed., Nov. 11, CLOSED
- Word Game Night, Thurs., Nov. 12, 2 pm
- Halifax Reads Author Visit. Sat., Nov. 14, 11 a.m.
- Holiday Stress Reduction, Mon., Nov. 16, 6:30 p.m.
- Halifax Reads Book Discus**sion**, Tues., Nov. 17, 1 pm
- Brainstorming Show, Great Hall, Thurs., Nov. 19, 7-8 pm
- Writers' Group, Thurs., Nov. 19, 3:00 pm
- Evening Book Club, Tues., Nov. 24, 6:30 pm

Holiday Stress? Give It a Rest!



The holidays coming! Stress less and enjoy more this year with tips and tricks from Brunnie Getchell of Pembroke on Monday, November 16, at 6:30 p.m. Her presentation takes less than

one hour, but promises to save you many hours of stress!

Brunnie is an Advanced Certified Hypnotherapist, Master's Level Counselor and a Reiki Master Practitioner who has practiced for over 20 years in a wide variety of clinical settings. She currently has a private practice in Bridgewater.

Please register for this free talk by calling the library or through our online event calendar!

Friends of the Library Corner

Rory Raven Show Rescheduled

The Rory Raven show, Brainstorming: An Act of Mentalism, has been rescheduled to Thurs., Nov. 19, 7-8 p.m.

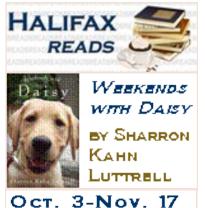
Tickets are \$10 per person and are available at the library. This entertaining mind-reading show runs just one hour, so you'll be home in time for Thursday Night Football. Please buy tickets and bring family and friends to support the Friends of the Holmes Public Library!

Silent Auction

Bidding in the Friends Silent Auction starts on Mon., Nov. 23, and runs through 7:30 p.m., Wed., Dec. 16. There are always many great gift items to bid on!

The Friends of the Library usually meet on the fourth Wednesday, but will meet this month on **Nov 18**, **6:30 p.m.**, at the library.

Membership forms are available at the library and online at holmespubliclibrary.org/Friends.



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Halifax Reads! is sponsored by the Friends of the Holmes Public Library and through donations to the Holmes Public Library Gift Fund.



Storytime sessions and Infant Lapsit resume Nov. 5 with our new Children's Librarian, Stacey Beshers (Miss Stacey!) Please check our online calendar or pick up a print calendar for the complete schedule of events!

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Hours

Monday, 12-8 Tuesday, 10-5 Wednesday, 12-8 Thursday, 10-5 Friday, 10-5 Saturday, 10-2

Art Wanted



The library is looking for art to display at the library, Dec. 1-Feb. 28.

If you have a piece of hanging art to lend to this community show, please bring it in this month!

Learn a Language through Film

Say hello to Mango Premiere, the latest addition to the Mango Languages database.

Customize your experience by choosing how you want to watch a film. In "Movie Mode", watch with your choice of subtitles (English subtitles, subtitles in the language you're learning, or both).

Or select "Engage Mode" to learn each scene's dialogue, part by part.

November Holiday Hours



The library will be closed on Wednesday, Nov. 11, in observance of Veterans' Day.

The library will close at 5 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 25, the

night before Thanksgiving.

We will be open regular hours on the Friday (10-5) and Saturday (10-2) after Thanksgiving.